

U.S. 93 Blue Lakes Boulevard, Falls to Pole Line

Weekly Construction Update - June 18, 2009

Construction is currently about a month ahead of original schedule published in January.

Paving is now complete on the south-bound lanes of Blue Lakes between Falls Avenue and Pole Line Road. Paving was started early because of weather delays on other Western Construction paving projects.

Crews are now completing paving of business approaches, concrete work of sidewalks, adjusting and aligning water valves and manholes in the roadway. Work to complete these items is expected to be completed by June 26.*

*Traffic is expected to be switched to the newly constructed south-bound lanes on or about July 1 at which time two south-bound lanes will be open between Pole Line Road and Cheney. One lane in each direction will be maintained throughout the rest of the construction zone.

Drivers should watch for changing business accesses throughout the construction zone. Left hand turns on and off Blue Lakes are not allowed.

Maintenance work on the Perrine Bridge is now completed.

ITD and the Idaho State Police caution motorists to slow down and pay attention when driving in work zones, where increased speeding fines and other penalties apply. Motorists are encouraged to plan ahead and dial 5-1-1 or visit 511.idaho.gov for information on the state highway or interstate system.

^{*} All scheduled dates are subject to change.